

Psychoanalysis Unit
Research Dept of Clinical,
Educational and Health
Psychology
UCL Division of Psychology
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UCL Psychoanalytic Conference

Identity, Mind and Body

Friday 2nd - Sunday 4th December 2016, UCL Main Campus

Keynote Speakers:

Daniel Pick

The Anxiety of Influence

Alessandra Lemma

The Black Mirror:
Identity, Body, Technology

Ron Britton

The Location
and the Identity of the Self

Clinical Seminar Leaders:

Robin Anderson, David Bell,
Irma Brenman Pick, Donald Campbell
Gigliola Fornari-Spoto,
Chris Mawson, Edna O'Shaughnessy,
David Taylor, Mary Target,
and David Tuckett



The task of integrating parts of the self to form a secure identity represents a basic psychoanalytic value, as well as a therapeutic aim and a developmental task. This Conference provides an opportunity to reconsider the fundamentals of identity, by examining our current clinical experiences. The Conference will also consider the complex continuities and discontinuities found to exist between thought and action, the mental and the somatic, the individual and the group, and how these are best understood in today's context, in which there are major cultural movements and developments in other disciplines.

Call for parallel papers and clinical seminar presenters

There will be parallel paper sessions on the Saturday afternoon.

If you are interested in giving a parallel paper please contact: events.psychoanalysis@ucl.ac.uk
Abstracts of proposed papers will need to be with us by 30 September 2016.

If you are interested in presenting clinical material at one of the Friday clinical seminars, please contact:
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For further information please visit: <https://www.ucl.ac.uk/psychoanalysis/events>

This is the first in the new series of five UCL conferences: Psychoanalysis at the Beginning of the 21st Century. It will be followed by Anxiety, Dread and Fear in 2017; The Oedipal Situation & Its Part in Mental Disorders in 2018; Mourning, Depression and Despair in 2019 and Re-visiting Psychoanalytic Aspects of the Personality in 2020.